

SCENE 17 • NUMBER 7

Kemm għandek żmien?

Ella's homework is "My neighbour". You are the neighbour. Three questions: How old are you? Do you have brothers and sisters? When is your birthday? She reads out what she has: one line about you, two pages about Ċikku. Then she gives you a card.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1a

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN: 1a

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT: 1a

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: Jien ukoll għandi hu. Tarbija. Ma jorqodx bil-lejl, bħal Ġorġ!

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 15432

Words: Kemm għandek żmien?

VOCABULARY & WRITING

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?: 1a, 2a, 3b, 4b, 5a, 6a

W2) ELLA'S HOMEWORK: 1: xogħol tad-dar, 1: ewwel, 2: żmien, 1: aħwa, 1: għeluq sninek, 2: Lulju, 1: interessanti

W3) WHEN'S YOUR BIRTHDAY, ĊIKKU?: 1: għeluq sninek, 2: jaf, 3: Jannar, 4: snin

W4) HOMEWORK AND THE YEAR: 1d, 2c, 3b, 4f, 5g, 6h, 7a, 8e

Grammar: Għandi tletin sena

GRAMMAR

G1) FIND THE WORDS: 1) sena, 2) sena, 3) snin, 4) xhur, 5) sentejn, 6) snin, 7) xahrejn, xhur, 8) sena

G2) ONE YEAR, TWO YEARS, TEN YEARS: 1a, 2a, 3a, 4c, 5c, 6b, 7c, 8a, 9c

G3) I HAVE, SHE HAS: 1b, 2b, 3c, 4c, 5a, 6c, 7b

G4) BIG NUMBERS: 1e, 2d, 3c, 4a, 5f, 6b

G5) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: Kemm għandek żmien?, Għandi tletin sena., Ella għandha disa' snin, kważi għaxra., Hu Ella għandu sitt xhur biss., Kemm għandu żmien Ċikku? Hadd ma jaf., Għandi tmienja u għoxrin sena., Ċikku għandu sentejn?, It-tarbija għandha xahrejn?, Għeluq snini l-għaxra ta' Lulju.

G6) THE RIGHT WORDS: 1b, 2b, 3c, 4b, 5c, 6b**Translation**

Ella comes into your flat with an exercise book and a pencil.

■ Hi! Can you help me? I've got homework.

○ Yes, I can. What homework?

■ 'My neighbour'. And you're my neighbour!

■ First question. How old are you?

○ I'm thirty.

She writes it down.

■ Thirty! So you're old already!

○ I'm not old! I'm young!

■ OK, OK. And Ċikku, how old is he?

○ I don't know. Only Ċikku knows!

■ Second question. Do you have brothers and sisters?

○ Yes, one brother and one sister.

■ Do they live far away too?

○ Yes, in Hamburg.

■ I have a brother too. A baby. He doesn't sleep at night, like Ġorġ!

■ Third question. When is your birthday?

○ The tenth of July.

■ And mine is the twenty-eighth of March, this Saturday! Ten years old!

■ Listen! 'My neighbour. Thirty years old. Has a brother and a sister.'

She turns the page, and goes on reading.

■ 'Ċikku is a big cat. He lives here, and there, and there. He has ten keys.'

○ Wait... Only that about me? And two pages about Ċikku?

■ Ċikku is very interesting!

○ And I'm not interesting?

■ You're on page three. With Ċikku.

She gives you a card with a yellow cat drawn on it.

■ And this is for you!

You read the card aloud.

○ 'Saturday, my birthday! Come with Ċikku!'

○ Thank you, Ella! And does Ċikku know?

- Ċikku knows everything.

Ella packs her homework into her schoolbag, very pleased. Her card stands on your table, and Ċikku is already sitting next to it.